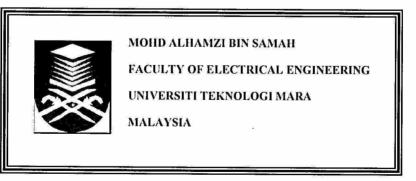
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ABSTRACT

This report describes the calculation to predict load demand in the future using Microsoft Excel and software MATLAB program. Studies are made by using Least-square Regression method as the technique to predict the load demand.

The objectives of this project is to obtained a value of predict load demand between 2009 to 2018 based on Gross domestic Product (GDP).

Studies were made to investigate the effectiveness and prove of using Least-square regression method to forecasting the load in the future.

Result that has been calculated using MATLAB program was represented to prove the effectiveness using Least-square regression method. The result proved that using Least-square regression method can predict the load demand in the future.

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